

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:)	Group Art Unit: 1651
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RUECKER et al.)	Examiner: Davis, R.
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Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned)	
)	<u>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</u>
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to the initial review of the above-identified application on the merits, please enter the following Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.